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Title: Connector Brackets

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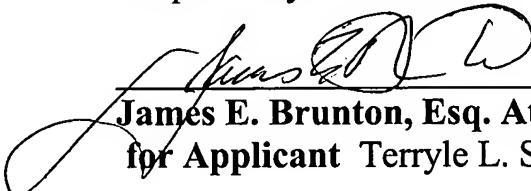
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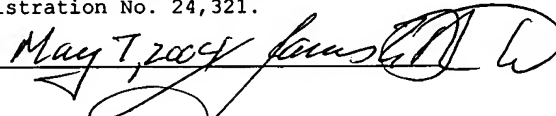
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FEE TRANSMITTAL

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/092,870
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First Named Inventor	Terryle L. Sneed
Group Art Unit	3652
Examiner Name	Thuy Van Tran
Attorney Docket Number	001-16

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FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/96)

1. FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 780	201 380	Utility filing fee	
106 310	206 155	Design filing fee	
107 480	207 240	Plant filing fee	
108 760	208 380	Reissue filing fee	
114 150	214 75	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL(1) (\$)

2. CLAIMS

Total Claims	Extra	Fee from below	Fee Paid
-20 =	X		
Independent Claims -3 =	X		
Multiple Dependent Claims	X		

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20	
102 78	202 39	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104 260	204 130	Multiple dependent claim	
09 78	209 39	Reissue independent claims over original patent	

SUBTOTAL(2) (\$)

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105 130	205	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215 55	Extension for response within first month	
116	216 190	Extension for response within second month	
117	217	Extension for response within third month	
118	218	Extension for response within fourth month	
119 310	219 155	Notice of Appeal	
120 310	220 155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 270	221 135	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application	
141 1,320	241 660	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	
142	242	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	243	Design issue fee	
144	244	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126 240	126 240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581 40	581 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146 790	246 395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149 790	249 395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
Other fee (specify) Statutory Disclaimer			55.00
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